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SUBJECT: AMTRAK URGENT NEED FOR WOOD RR CROSSTIES

1. AMTRAK APPEALED TO AFRICA DIVISION, COMMERCE, TO
ALERT TRADITIONAL FOREIGN HARDWOOD SUPPLIERS OF THEIR
IMMEDIATE NEED FOR STANDARD CROSSTIES.

2. SPECIFICATIONS: BIDS REQUESTED BY JAN. 11, 1974
FOR STANDARD RAILROAD CROSSTIES, IN ACCORDANCE WITH
AMERICAN RAILWAY ENGINEERING CROSSTIES SPECIFICATIONS,
PART 1 DATED 1961, PP 3-1-1 THROUGH 3-1-16. ALTERNATE
MATERIALS WILL BE ACCEPTABLE. SIZES 8 FEET 6 INCHES
AND 9 FEET, CROSSTIES STANDARD, IN ORDERS OF 65,000;
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113,000; 250,000; OR 500,000 PEICE LOTS. DELIVERY

TO NEW YORK, CHICAGO, OR LOS ANGELES, FOB PORT OF
ENTRY. BID DATE FLEXIBLE BUT TIES NEEDED BY MAY 1974.

3. INTERESTED SUPPLIERS URGED TO CONTACT DIRECTLY:
J.K. LYONS NAT'L RR PASSENGER CORP. (AMTRAK), 955 L'ENFANT PLAZA,
S.W., WASHINGTON, D.C. 20024 (PHONE 202-484-7115

4. TSUSA CURRENTLY LISTS STANDARD WOOD RR CROSSTIES
(ITEM 200.80) AS ELIGIBLE FOR IMPORT BY THE U.S.
FREE OF DUTY.

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